

Listing and Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace the claims that were published in the PCT Application:

1. (currently amended) A ~~E~~conditional access content (10) reception system comprising at least two terminals (14,16) for accessing the content (10): a main terminal (14) and at least one secondary terminal (16), each terminal comprising means (22) for checking this terminal's authorization to access the content, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein each of the terminals (14, 16) also comprises pairing and pairing-verification means (25, 27) and ~~in that~~ wherein the system comprises means (26) for exchanging information between the main terminal (14) and each secondary terminal (16) for the purpose of implementing the pairing and the verification of the pairing between said secondary terminal (16) and the main terminal (14).

2. (currently amended) The ~~E~~conditional access content (10) reception system according to claim 1, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the pairing and pairing-verification means (25) of each secondary terminal (16) prevent said secondary terminal (16) from accessing the content (10) if the verification of the pairing with the main terminal (14) is negative.

3. (currently amended) The ~~E~~conditional access content (10) reception system according to ~~either of claims 1 and 2~~, ~~characterized in that~~ claim 1, wherein the information-exchange means comprise a local area network (26) to which the access terminals (14,16) are connected.

4. (currently amended) Conditional access content (10) reception system according to claim 3, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the local area network (26) is a wired or wireless private local area network.

5. (currently amended) The ~~E~~conditional access content (10) reception system according to claim 4, ~~characterized in that~~ wherein the local area network (26) is chosen from one of the elements from the group comprising a local area electrical network in the home of a user authorized to receive the content, a local area cable network in the home for the purpose of transmitting audiovisual information, a local area telephone network in the home and a wireless local area network in the home.

6. (currently amended) ~~The E~~conditional access content (10)-reception system according to ~~one of claims 3 to 5, characterized in that~~ claim 3, wherein the local area network (26)-is merged with a shared network (18)-for distributing the content (10).

7. (currently amended) ~~A T~~terminal (16)-for accessing to a conditional access content (10)-~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising means (25) for pairing with a main access terminal (14), for the purpose of authorizing said access terminal (16)-to access the content (10)-only if it is connected and able to exchange information with said main terminal (14).

8. (currently amended) ~~The T~~terminal (16)-for accessing to a conditional access content (10)-according to claim 7, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~ further comprising means (25)-for verifying its pairing (25)-with said main terminal (14)-with which it was paired initially.

9. (currently amended) ~~The T~~terminal (16)-for accessing to a conditional access content according to ~~either of claims 7 and 8, characterized in that~~ claim 7, wherein the means (25)-for pairing and verifying the pairing with a main terminal (14) comprise a peripheral module suitable for connection to said access terminal.

10. (currently amended) ~~A T~~terminal (14) for accessing to a conditional access content (10)-~~characterized in that it comprises~~ comprising means (27)-for pairing with at least one secondary access terminal (16)-through exchange of information with said secondary terminal.

11. (currently amended) ~~The T~~terminal (14)-~~for accessing to a conditional access content~~ according to claim 9,~~characterized in that~~ 10, wherein the information exchanged is a unique identifier for said terminal (14).

12. (currently amended) ~~The T~~terminal (14)-~~for accessing to a conditional access content~~ according to ~~either of claims 10 and 11, characterized in that~~ claim 10, wherein the means (27)-for pairing with a secondary terminal (16)-comprise a peripheral module suitable for connection to said access terminal.

13. (currently amended) A Mmethod for receiving a conditional access content ~~(10)~~ carried out in a system as claimed in ~~any of claims 1 to 6, characterized in that it comprises~~ claim 1, wherein said method comprising a step ~~(40)~~ of testing the connection between the secondary terminal ~~(16)~~ and the main terminal ~~(14)~~, the outcome of which is that the secondary terminal ~~(16)~~ is authorized to process the content ~~(10)~~ only if said connection has been set up.